NEW TYPEWRITER

If you note anything new this issue, it is because we are using a new typewriter to cut our stencils. This is an IBM Selectric which will cost about $500.00 if we decide we like it. This is the machine that enables the user to change type at will. You will note that we have used about three styles in this issue. The main body is "Advocate" and we also used *"Light Italic"* WHILE THE CAPTIONS ARE MANIFOLD".

It is as simple as lifting off a ball and placing another in its place. This is a loan machine to see if it will cut a good stencil and if we will like it.

There are many type fonts that can be used on this machine. The ones used are but a few that are available.

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COVER DRAWING

The cover on this issue was first used in California by L.I.S.A. on a booklet about Santa Ana's floral emblems. Let's Improve Santa Ana is an independent, volunteer organization to stimulate and encourage the cleanup, beautification, and community betterment of Santa Ana.

The city flower of Santa Ana is the hibiscus and the city tree is the jacaranda. Mrs. Weston Walker, a member of the AHS, has been working on this project since 1955. The drawing was done by Carolyn Schultz of Santa Ana.

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PETE, OR HARRY, YOU HAD BETTER GET BUSY.

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D. U. D. (cont'd)

There are a few hybridizers who are very free with their wood and like to get their seedlings distributed to our members. What better way than this to do it? Thirty people will receive a growing plant, not just wood, if the hybridizers cooperate with the plan.

How many times have members wished they could purchase a plant of the best seedling of a show and none were available? This will make these top seedlings available to our members at a reasonable price. At the same time the market can't be flooded with only 30 plants. Suppose a commercial grower wins the Hibiscus of the Year, as soon as the 30 plants for the AHS are available and the 15 tickets are sold he can go ahead and sell all the plants he wants. After a commercial grower wins the best seedling of a show and the 30 plants are made and growing, and the 15 tickets are sold he can sell his stock if he wishes or he can hold his plants in hopes that it will be picked the Hibiscus of the Year and thus give him a good advertising plea.

All those who would like to bet a shot at the $500.00 savings bond should get to work and start their program. Plans need to be started now for a crop of good seedlings in a year or two. There are only a few hybridizers at present who are in the running for the first award, but you can get going for next year and the next.

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LET'S BATTLE HARRY AND BEAT HIM.

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Just think. If it hadn't been for Thomas Edison we'd have to watch TV by candlelight.

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